

ABSTRACT

DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CLAMPING AND GROUNDING A CABLE

1 A device and method for clamping and grounding a cable, includes a conductive cable
2 clamp. The clamp is adapted to clamp and conductively engage a periphery of a conductive
3 shield of the cable. In one aspect of the invention, the cable clamp includes a first conductive
4 plate and a second conductive plate. Each of the plates has at least one groove formed
5 therein. The first plate is positionable against the second plate so that the groove in the first
6 plate and the groove in the second plate collectively form a hole extending from one edge of
7 the cable clamp to an opposite edge of the cable clamp, with the hole accommodating the
8 cable therein. In another aspect of the invention, the cable clamp includes a conductive
9 flexible fabric having at least one pattern formed therein, with the pattern accommodating the
10 cable therein.